

# CSWC Operational Period Summary

## 0600 September 24 2014 to 1800 September 24 2014



King, Vegetation Fire, El Dorado and Placer Counties

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# SITUATION SUMMARY

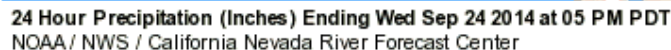
## Northern California Weather of Concern

- Pacific storm will move over Northern California this afternoon and linger through the weekend. This will bring cooler temperatures, widespread precipitation, and a chance of thunderstorms. Precipitation over the Coastal Range and western Shasta mountains will spread east through Thursday. The system remains over the area through the weekend and will continue to produce lingering showers before exiting the region. Light snow is possible over the highest peaks of the Sierra south of highway 50 on Saturday.
- The slow progression eastward of the low pressure system will result in a slow onset of rainfall for interior Northern California. Current projected precipitable water values associated with the system are around 1.25 to 1.50 inches with the frontal band as it pushes over western Shasta County and the coastal mountains this evening, 09/24/14.
- There are burn scar areas receiving 1/3 of an inch of rain an hour for consecutive hours so there is concern about flash flooding and debris flows in those areas into this evening.
- The front is very slow moving with the heaviest rain through tonight. By this evening the heavier rain will reach the Weed, Mt. Shasta City, and McCloud region. The recent mudslide on Mt. Shasta near the town of McCloud could result in more mudslides because close to an inch of rain is expected there overnight into Thursday morning.
- Showers are expected to spread east and south into Thursday and reach the Sierras by Thursday morning. The bulk of the rain will occur overnight and Thursday. By Friday, showers will continue and instability from the storm will increase such that thunderstorms may also develop, especially over the mountains. Main rainfall should remain north of I-80. Winds will continue to be fairly strong over the Sierra ridges and higher terrain Thursday, but will be accompanied by periods of rain showers and higher humidity values. Possibility of an inch or two of snow over the Sierra south of Tahoe at an elevation of 8000 feet and above.
- Best chance of thunderstorms on Thursday with lingering showers possible through the weekend.
- Temperatures 5 - 10 degrees below normal.
- **Rain timing:**
  - Over the Coastal Range and western Shasta mountains late this afternoon spreading eastward through Thursday morning. Showers lingering through the weekend.
- **Rain amounts:**
  - 1/3-2/3" in the Coastal Range, Shasta/Plumas Mountains, and 4000'+ Sierra Nevada. 1/4 - 1/2" in the foothills below 4000'. 01-.20" in the Valley. Substantially higher amounts between 2-3" for extreme northwestern California.
- **Snow timing:**
  - Saturday over the southern Sierra (south of Highway 50) above 8000 feet.
- **Snow amount:**
  - 1-3 inches above 8000 feet.

**Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories:** [http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/www\\_bc\\_cal.php](http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/www_bc_cal.php)

**Forecast Precipitation Amounts:** <http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/google.php?type=waterResources>

## Northern California Weather of Concern



San Francisco: 0.01 inches





# Cooler, Breezy, Wet Weather on the Way



Cooler air, periods of rain pushing into interior NorCal tonight and Thursday. Watch for slick roads.



Breezy to windy, especially over the mountains today & Thursday

Ahead of the system: **Red Flag Warning** over the mountains & King Fire through this evening



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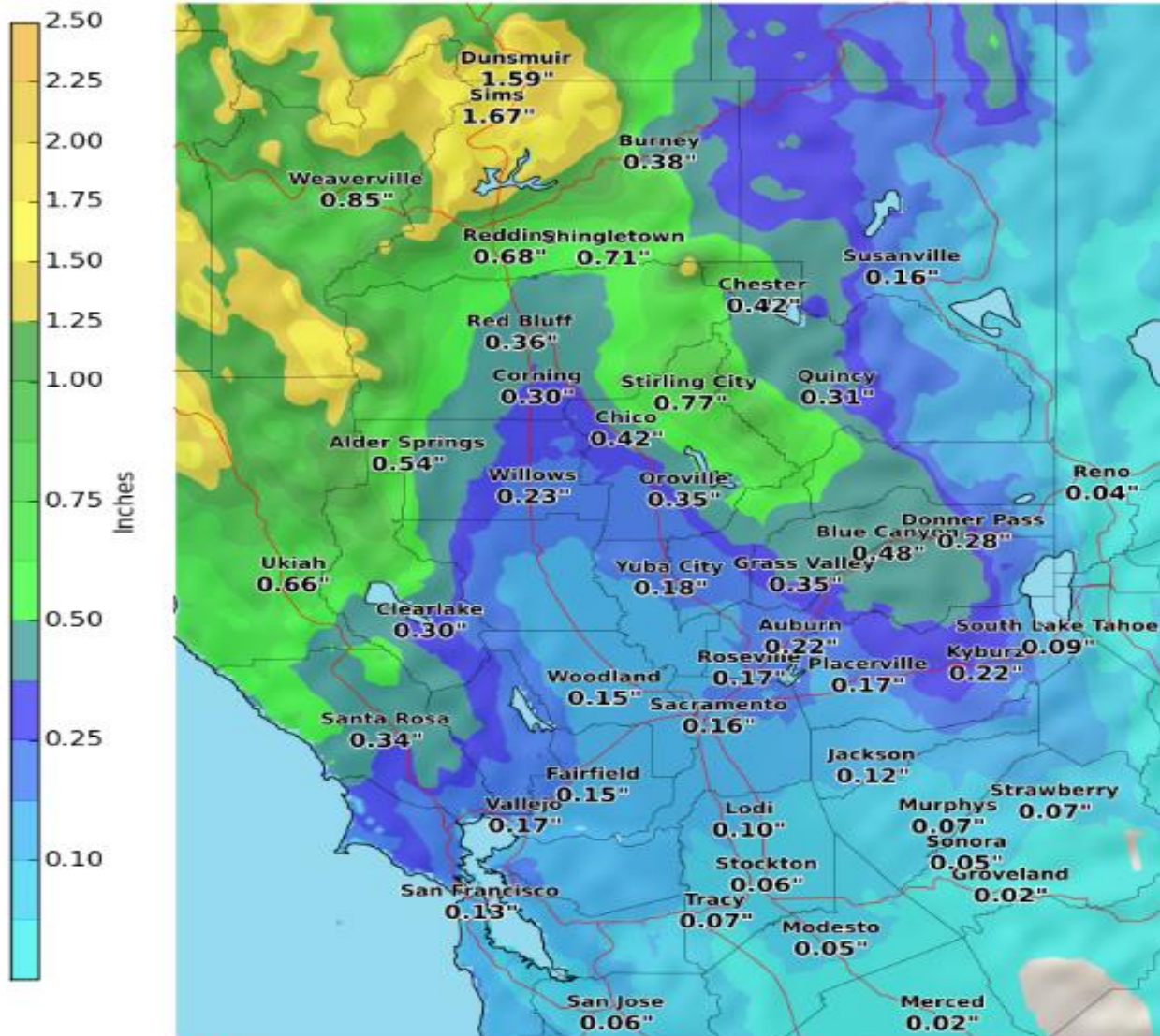


As a low pressure system approaches northern California, expect breezy/windy southwest winds especially over the higher terrain today and tomorrow. Precipitation will be slow moving, and will start pushing into interior NorCal later tonight and spread eastward into Thursday. Majority of the rainfall will be north of I-80. Much cooler, fall-like temperatures are forecast for Thursday. Cool and unsettled weather will stick around into the weekend.



# Forecast Rain: Wed - Fri

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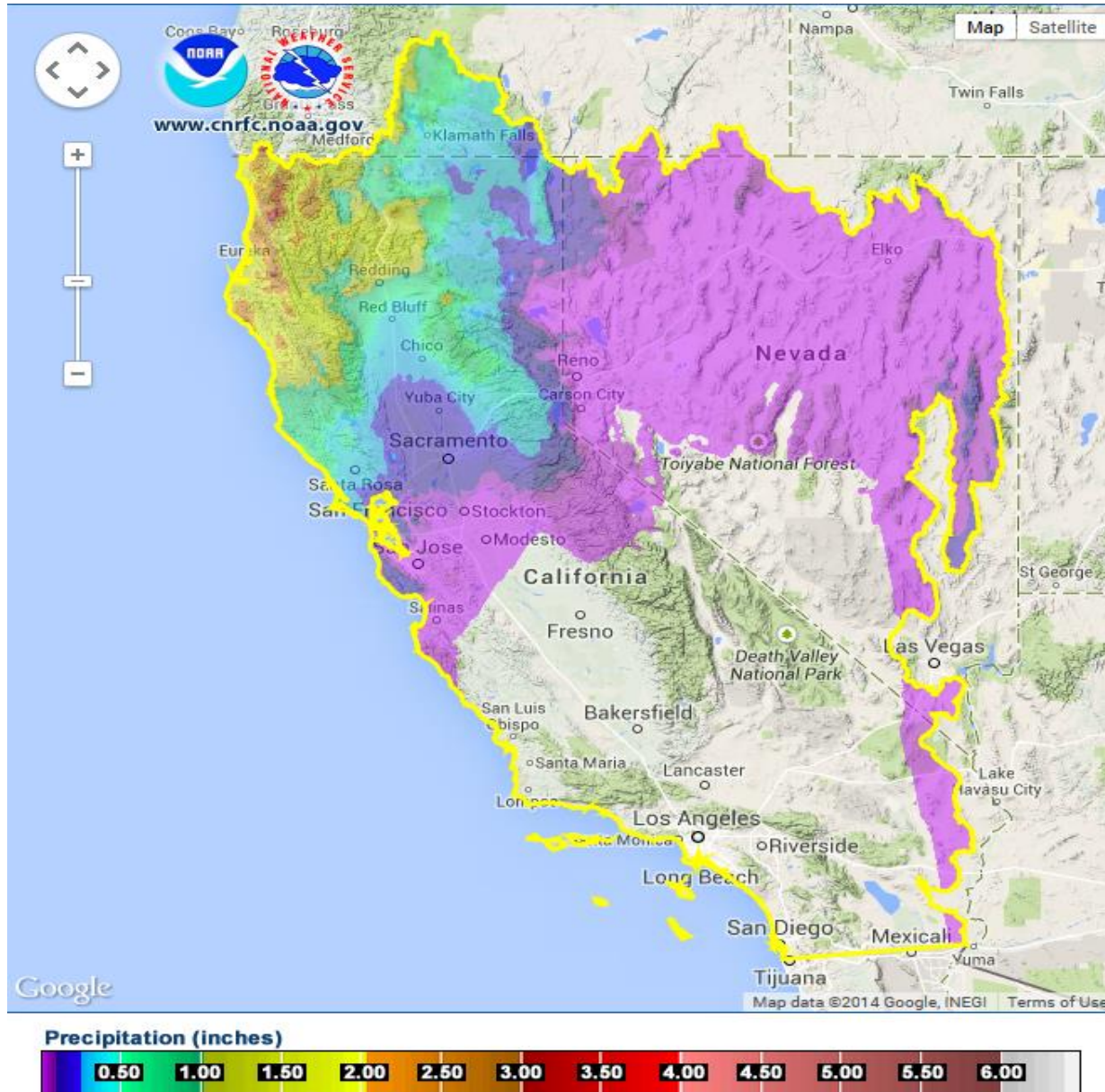
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72 Hour Forecast Precipitation (QPF): 09/24/14 0500 hours – 09/27/14 0500 hours



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# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA FIRES**

### **Happy Camp Complex, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County**

Happy Camp District, Klamath National Forest  
FRA

Per Cal Fire, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 09/24/14 at 1738 hours:

- 132,733 acres, 86% contained
- Type 1 Team in command
- Expected Containment: 10/31/14
- Threatened Structures: None
- Damaged Structures: 2 Other Minor Structures
- Destroyed Structures: 2 Single Residences, 4 Other Minor Structures
- [See Fire Activity Section for detailed information.](#)

### **July Complex, Siskiyou County**

4 miles southeast of Sawyers Bar  
FRA

Per Cal Fire, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 09/24/14 at 1731 hours:

- 50,042 acres, 98% contained
- Type 3 Team in command
- Expected Containment: 10/01/14
- Destroyed Structures: 2 Other Minor Structures
- Patrol and mop up inside the line.
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### **King Incident, Vegetation Fire, El Dorado and Placer Counties**

King of the Mountain Road, east of Pollock Pines  
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Per Cal Fire, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 09/24/14 at 1753 hours:

- 92,960 acres, 38% contained
- Type 1 Team Unified Command assigned
- Threatened Structures: 12,000 Single Residences, 9,000 Other Minor Structures
- A Fire Management Assistance Grant was approved. FEMA Declaration Number FM-5081.
- [See Fire Activity Section for detailed information.](#)

### **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought



# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Proclamations**

- A ratified proclamation from Riverside County was received today, 09/24/14, ratifying the Director of Emergency Services' Proclamation of Local Emergency due to the Severe Storms experienced beginning on 09/16/14.

## **San Francisco International Airport Emergency Exercise**

- The San Francisco International Airport will conduct an emergency full-scale exercise today, 9/24/14, from 0900 – 1230 hours, simulating an air crash. San Francisco and San Mateo counties will be participating. Cal OES Coastal Region Representative will be participating as a State Liaison in the San Mateo County EOC.

## **Wharf Fire, Wilmington, Los Angeles County (FINAL)**

- Background: The Los Angeles City Fire Department (LAFD) declared a major emergency in response to a four-alarm fire that burned about 150 feet of wharf and threatened a steel warehouse at the Port of Los Angeles in Wilmington. The fire started at approximately 1840 hours on 09/22/14 and was located near 802 S Fries Avenue, Wilmington, Los Angeles County.
- The Los Angeles Port reports a boom was placed around the area to boom off pollutants. The wharf is being demolished, three rubbish collection boats are en-route to assist in removing debris. Air quality has left the scene. Local schools in the area are open.
- 850 Dock workers were evacuated as a precautionary measure due to heavy smoke and area residents had been advised to stay indoors with windows closed to avoid the smoke. The US Coast Guard is monitoring air quality in the immediate vicinity of the port.
- The Cal OES Southern Duty Officer and territory representative will continue to monitor the situation.

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# WEEK AHEAD WEATHER

## **Thursday**

- Cooler; rainfall will spread east across N. CA
- Possible flash flood / debris flows near burn scars in far N. CA mountains Thursday morning (mainly Siskiyou County)
- Decreasing winds central Sierra Nevada
- Continued smoke E and NE of King Fire Friday – Sunday

## **Friday – Sunday**

- Continued cooling
- Showers possible, mainly northwest CA
- Possible thunderstorms, mainly eastern Mojave Desert Monday-Wednesday
- No hazards expected

## **Monday – Wednesday**

- No hazards expected



# California OES Impact Threat Matrix

Sep 25, 2014 – Oct 1, 2014

DAY/THREAT	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED
Fire Weather							
Winds							
Extreme Cold							
Snow							
Heavy Rain/ Flash Flooding	Far N. CA						
River Flooding							
Severe Weather							
Heat							
Tropical							

	High Threat
	Moderate Threat
	Slight Threat
	No Discernible Threat



# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA**

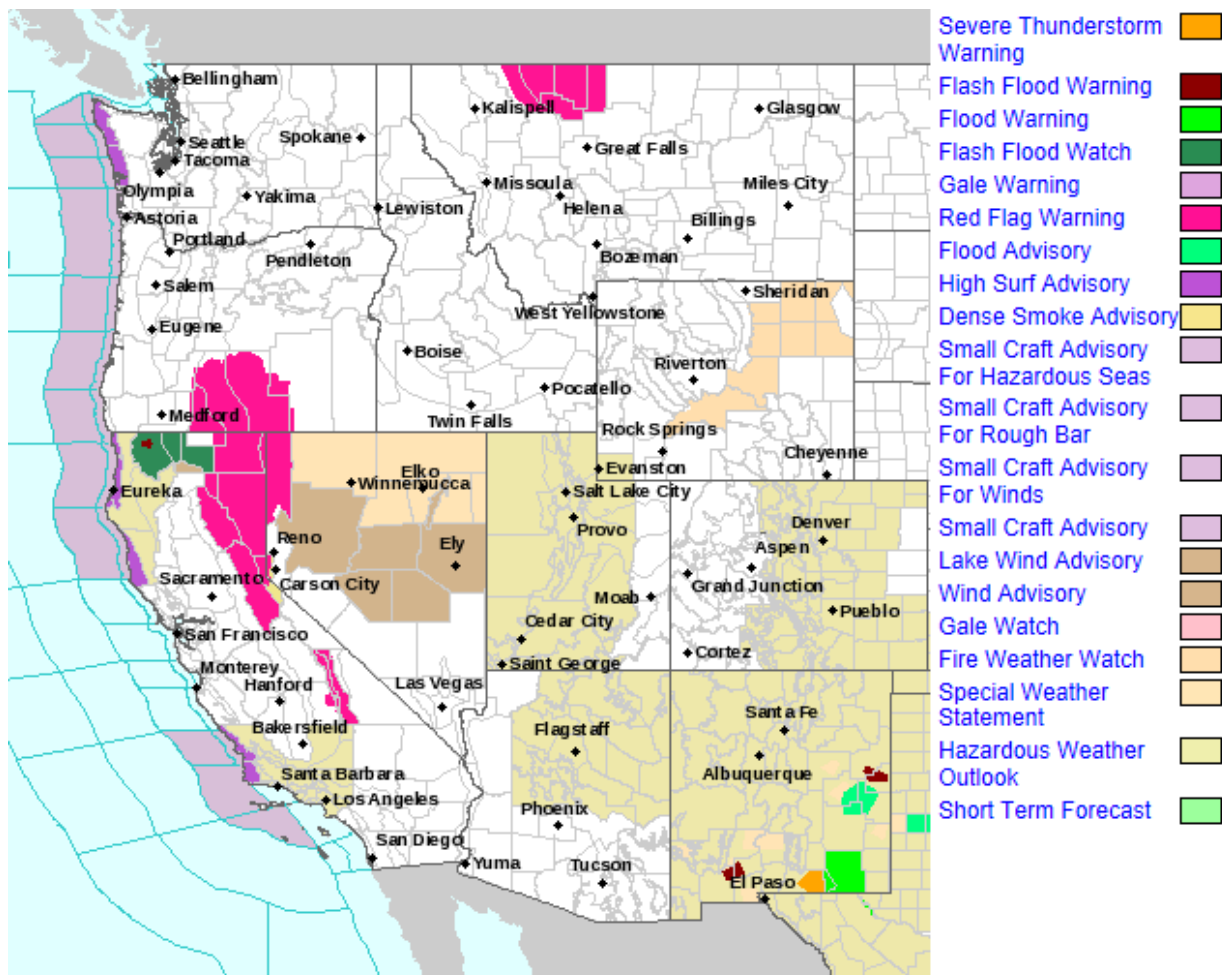
Strong low pressure in the Gulf of Alaska will be nearly stationary through Friday, with the trailing cold front and low pressure trough swinging through the Northern Operations region during that time. The main cold front has reached Northwest California with heavy rain. As of early Wednesday a handful of stations had recorded 6-hour totals of over 1 inch, with a few over 2 inches of rainfall. Strong and gusty south to southwest winds (gusts 25-35 mph west of the crest and 35-50 mph along and east of the crest) in eastern areas will continue throughout the day as the front and precipitation slowly moves east. Humidity and cloud cover will increase west of the Cascade-Sierra crest today, and east of the crest late today and this evening. Light rain will spread into Northeastern California, the Sacramento Valley, and the Bay Area by this evening and into the Northern Sierra and east side by early Thursday. Cool, wet and unsettled weather will continue across the Northern Operations area through Friday, when the main low pressure moves overhead. A cutoff low will form in the trough over Western Nevada by early Saturday, and this could lead to mostly cloudy skies and isolated showers or thunderstorms east of the crest through Sunday while the remainder of the Northern Operations area undergoes a drying and warming trend with periods of north to northeast downslope/offshore winds into the middle of next week. Areas east of the crest will also warm up and dry out early next week.

### **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**

A deep upper level system will bring windy and cooler weather to the area later this week, but today will continue to be sunny and warm over most of the area. Highs this afternoon will reach the upper 90s in the valleys to the 80s in the mountains below 6,000 feet. Late tonight, into the early morning hours Thursday, light showers will develop across Monterey County and in the Sierras north of Yosemite National Park as a cold front drops southward into the region. Nearly all of the rainfall associated with this system will remain north of the area, but much cooler weather will develop over the area Friday into the weekend. Temperatures will be a few degrees below normal Friday and Saturday with upper 60s common along the coast to the lower 80s in the valleys. Widespread marine layer cloudiness can be expected with drizzle and stratus coverage possibly reaching the lower coastal slopes by Saturday morning. West winds of 20-30 mph with gusts to 50 mph will be possible Thursday and Friday afternoon in and near the deserts. Instability over the central part of the state may lead to isolated showers and one or two wet thunderstorms near the Sierras Friday and Saturday during the afternoon hours. As this system departs the region, gusty sundowner winds may be possible over Santa Barbara County Saturday night into Sunday morning. Early next week, a strong warming trend is expected as high pressure builds along the coast. Very weak offshore flow may be possible Sunday night and again toward the middle of next week which will further aid the warming trend. By next Tuesday and Wednesday, high temperatures may surpass the 100 degree mark in the valleys and lower foothills.



# STATE WEATHER MAP



Last map update: Sep, 24th 2014 at 5:53:15 pm MDT



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# **FIRE ACTIVITY**



## **California National Guard**

Two (2) Modular Airborne Fire Fighting Systems (MAFFS) have been Federalized and assigned to North Ops as Federal assets.

## **Preparedness Levels**

### **National Preparedness Level 2**

#### **Northern California**

Preparedness Level 3, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

#### **Southern California**

Preparedness Level 3, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

## **California Fire Potential & Weather Maps**

### **Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

### **Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

### **California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings**

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

### **NWS California River Forecast Center:**

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

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- Expected Containment: 10/31/14
- Threatened Structures: None
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- In secured areas of the fire, crews will continue patrol, mop-up and suppression repair actions. Surplus equipment and trash will be back-hauled. Suppression repair will be coordinated with READs.
- Across the fire, where possible, preparations will begin for today's anticipated precipitation event.
- No fire personnel will be working on fire suppression during the next operational period due to the forecasted rain. The only personnel near the fire area will be concerned with assessing the durability and passability of the road system as it is affected by the storm.
- Resources are available to respond to initial attack within the team's coverage area.
- Total Personnel – 370

## **Emergency Management**

### **Evacuations/Shelters**

- None

### **Power/Electrical/Utility Problems:**

- Flumes providing water to the community of Hamburg (Siskiyou OA) - approximate population 80 - were reported burned by the Happy Camp Complex Fire. Immediate water needs are being met through bottled water donations. Temporary repairs have been made and water is back in the system.

### **Health and Medical**

- A Clean Air Respite Center is located at the Family Resource Center at 11920 Main St., Ft. Jones. It will be open during the week from 0900 – 1700 hours. A clean air respite Center has been activated at the Karuk Tribe's Senior Nutrition Center located at 64101 Second avenue in Happy Camp, 0800 - 1700.
- A Health Emergency has been declared as a result of this Complex.





# FIRE ACTIVITY

## Happy Camp Complex, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County

### Road Closures

- China Grade Road is open to residents only.

### Activations

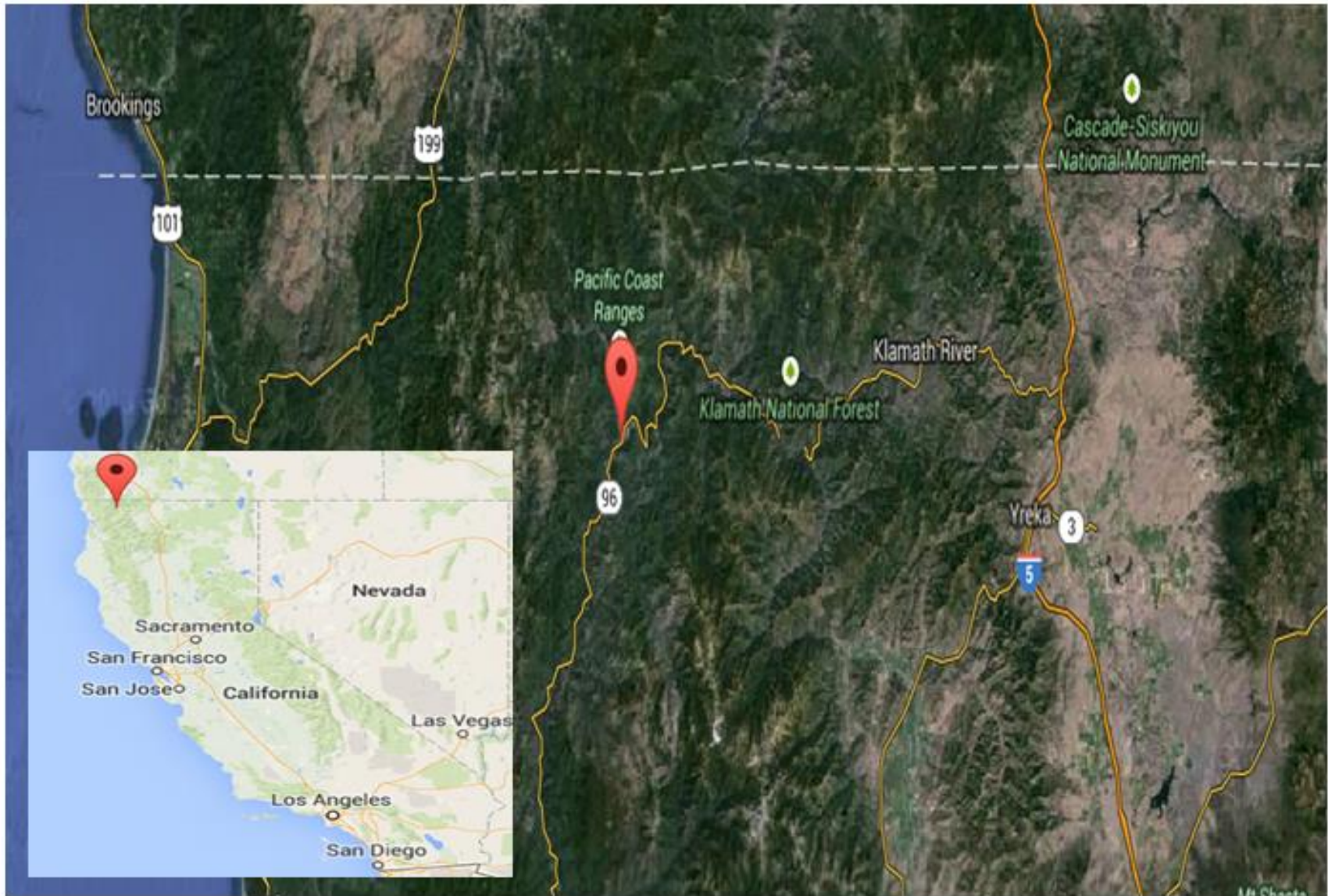
- Siskiyou County activated at Level 2.
- Cal OES Inland REOC is activated at Level 1
- The SOC is activated at Level 1

### Mission Tasking

- **2014-IREOC-4568** – Eight units are in continuing service.
- **2014-IREOC-6272** – One cache (28) VHF radios deployed to the City of Weed for debris removal work. This will be a long-term mission, approximately 3 weeks. ACS staff from Redding will deliver 09/24/2014.
- **2014-IEROC-6275** – (1) Caltrans person needed to provide guidance on erosion control for the City of Weed.



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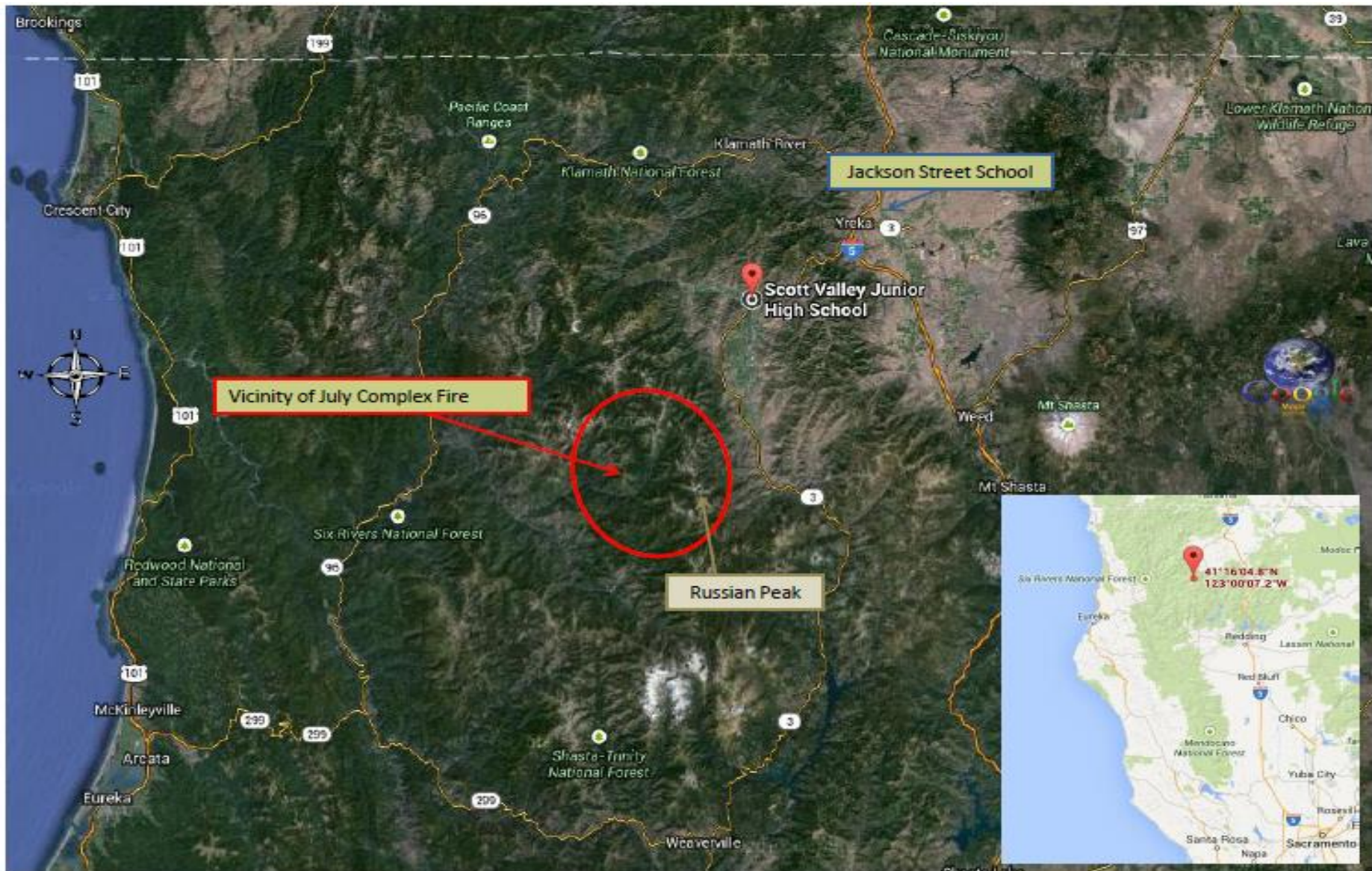
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# FIRE ACTIVITY



## King Incident, Vegetation Fire, El Dorado and Placer Counties

King of the Mountain Road, east of Pollock Pines

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Per Cal Fire, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 09/24/14 at 1753 hours:

- 92,960 acres, 38% contained
- Type 1 Team Unified Command assigned
- The Cal OES Law Branch, Inland REOC, El Dorado County Sheriff's Office, and El Dorado County Building Department, advise that for the White Meadows Area only:
  - Destroyed Structures: 12 Residences, 57 Other Structures
  - Damaged Structures: 1 Residence
    - Per the Eldorado County Sheriff's Office, these are hard numbers that can be released with standard language that damage assessment for remainder of fire area continues and numbers could change.
- Threatened Structures: 12,000 Single Residences, 9,000 Other Minor Structures
- Planned activities Zone 1:
  - Significant direct and indirect line was completed.
  - Provide protection for structures, infrastructure, habitat, and other values at risk. Identify and construct indirect and direct control lines on the north, east, and west portions of the incident as staffing and conditions allow, providing for firefighter and public safety first.
- Planned activities Zone 2:
  - Firing operation and line construction in Branch III completed, There is a limited window of predicted favorable winds to complete this operation from Union Reservoir to Government Ridge. Continue repopulation plans and implement as fire activity allows.
- A Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) was approved. Declaration Number FM-5081.
- 211 Local Government Engines and 10 Watertenders assigned
- 71 OES Engines and 3 Watertenders assigned; 2 OES Support Units
- Total Personnel – 7,952

## **Emergency Management**

### **Evacuations**

- 719 residences under Mandatory Evacuation Order and zero (0) Voluntary Evacuation Order.

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **King Incident, Vegetation Fire, El Dorado and Placer Counties**



### **Mandatory Evacuations**

- Mandatory Evacuations are in place for the following areas: Mosquito / Swansboro, Volcanoville / Quintette / Blodgette / Upper Ice House, and Crystal Basin / Ice House / Upper Wentworth Springs.

### **Voluntary Evacuations**

- None

### **Shelters**

- American Red Cross Shelter; Seventh Day Adventist Church located at 3520 Carson Road, Camino, CA. Current population – 9.
- The Animal Shelter in El Dorado County, 511 Placerville Drive, Placerville, CA is taking small animals. El Dorado County Animal Services is coordinating placement of large animals on an individual basis.
- Location for RVs and Campers: Lions Club, 4701 Missouri Flat Road, Diamond Springs, CA.

### **Road Closures**

- Numerous local road closures.

### **Utilities/Critical Infrastructure**

- Threat to SMUD, PG&E, and El Dorado Irrigation District (EID) has been mitigated.
- Per the California Utilities Emergency Association (CUEA) all customers have been restored.
- SMUD is reporting infrastructure damage which consists of 4K V-line from Brush Creek to Camino and 11,000 feet of fiber optic lines; repairs are underway.
- PG&E lines serving the El Dorado Irrigation District have been damaged and are presently under repair.
- As of approximately 1810 hours on 09/22/14, Fresh Pond Generation Station is reopened and fully operational.
- The power grid is stable.

### **Schools**

- All schools in Placer County are open.
- [The El Dorado County Black Oak Mine Unified School District](#) reopened all of their schools today.
- All schools in Nevada County are open.



# FIRE ACTIVITY

## King Incident, Vegetation Fire, El Dorado and Placer Counties



### Activations

- The El Dorado County EOC is activated at Level 1
- The Placer County EOC is activated at Level 1
- Cal OES Inland REOC is activated at Level 1
- The SOC is activated at Level 1

### Cal OES Deployments

- Five (5) Cal OES Assistant Fire Chiefs are assigned.
- Two (2) Cal OES Law Enforcement Assistant Chiefs assigned.
- One (1) Cal OES Region Emergency Services Coordinator is assigned to the El Dorado County EOC
- One (1) Cal OES Region Emergency Services Coordinator is assigned to the Placer County EOC.
- Six (6) Public Safety Radio Technicians are assigned to the incident.

### Proclamations

- Governor Brown declared a State of Emergency in El Dorado County on 09/17/14.

### Missions

- **2014-IREOC-5781** (El Dorado County) – For (4) air monitors supplied by California Air Resources Control Board. On scene.
- **2014-IREOC-5954** (Placer County) – For (2) air monitors supplied by the California Air Resources Control Board. On scene.
- **2014-IREOC-5965** (Lassen County) – For (1) air monitor supplied by the California Air Resources Control Board. On scene
- **2014-IREOC-6025** (El Dorado County) – For (1) cell tower supplied by Verizon has been delivered. On scene
- **2014-IREOC-6071** (Nevada County) – For (3) air monitors supplied by the California Air Resources Control Board. On scene
- **2014-IREOC-6099** (Sierra County) – For (1) air monitor supplied by the California Air Resources Control Board. On scene.
- **2014-SOC-6027** – (1) Caltrans Tree Crew is on scene to remove trees near Highway 50 near Pollock Pines and Fresh Pond.
- **2014-LAW-5792** – Requesting Law Enforcement mutual aid and Animal Control mutual aid. A contingency plans is in place to extend Law Enforcement Mutual Aid until 09/26/14. [Request has been placed on hold due to possible repopulation of Mosquito.](#)
- **CA-ENF-023461** – COMM-64 (OASIS) and 1 OASIS fly-away kit deployed to the King Fire, to two "Spike" camps, 1 at each camp, near the Forest Hill Incident Command Base. One TCOMM Auxiliary Communications (AC) and 3 ACS Staff assigned to the mission.

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**



## **King Incident, Vegetation Fire, El Dorado and Placer Counties**

### **Recovery**

- El Dorado County assessment team (County Assessor's Office) continue to access the affected area.
- The American Red Cross staffed caseworkers at Church of Our Savior on Tuesday, 09/23.
  - Location: 2979 Coloma Street, Placerville, El Dorado County.
  - Hours: 10am - 6pm.
  - The duration for staffing is tentatively scheduled through Saturday.

### **Public Information**

- The Chief Administrative Office of El Dorado County has established a Public Information Line regarding the King Fire services and information. The phone number is 530-642-7263.
- Placer County has established a Public Information Line to answer inquiries about smoke, road closures, evacuations and shelters. The number is 530-886-5310.

### **Other**

- Community meetings scheduled:
  - Placer County:
    - Foresthill High School, 23319 Foresthill Road, Foresthill (Placer County) – 1900 hours.
    - Olympic Village Lodge, 1901 Chamonix Place, Squaw Valley (Placer County) – 1900 hours.
    - North Tahoe High School, 2945 Polaris Road, Tahoe City (Placer County) – 1900 hours.
  - El Dorado County:
    - Seventh Day Adventist Church, 3520 Carson Road, Camino (El Dorado County) – 1900 hours.
    - Golden Sierra High School, 5101 Garden Valley Road, Garden Valley (El Dorado County) – 1900 hours.
  - Nevada County:
    - Truckee Town Council Meeting, 10183 Truckee Airport Road, Truckee (Nevada County) – 1715 hours. Fire Information will be shared during the public comment period.

### Today's AQI Forecast

Wednesday, September 24, 2014



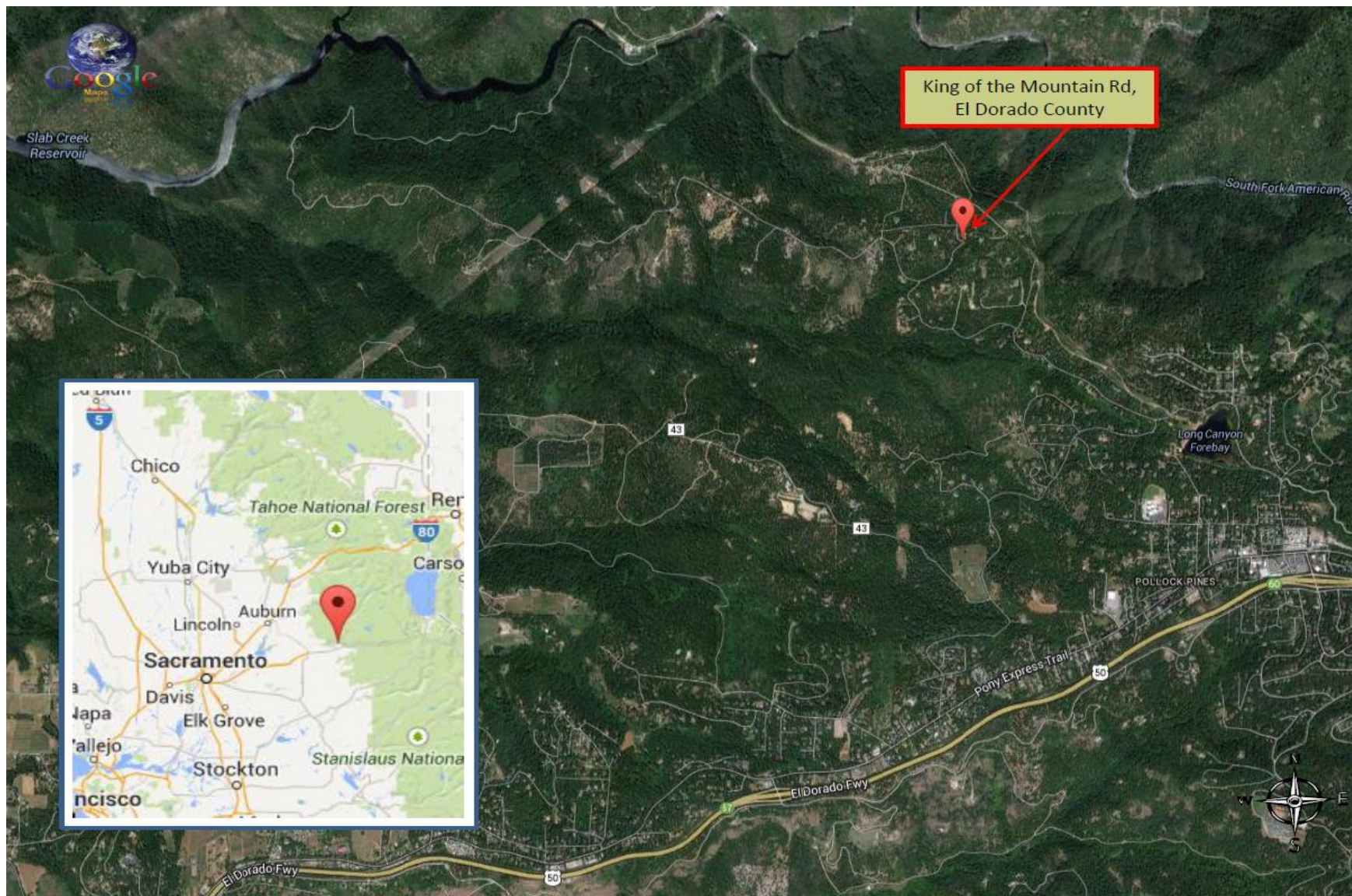
- Smoke information can be obtained at: <http://californiasmokeinfo.blogspot.com/>
- Air Quality Index link: [http://airnow.gov/index.cfm?action=airnow.local\\_state&stateid=5&mapcenter=0&tabs=0](http://airnow.gov/index.cfm?action=airnow.local_state&stateid=5&mapcenter=0&tabs=0)



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# RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

## San Diego County Wildfires CDAA Event

One (1) Recovery Public Assistance staff member is deployed to prepare damage survey reports as a result of the San Diego Wildfires in May 2014.

## Boles Incident, Vegetation Fire- City of Weed, Siskiyou County

### **Cal OES Deployments**

- Two (2) Cal OES Assistant Fire Chiefs are assigned.
- Three (3) Cal OES Region staff are assigned.
- Six (6) Cal OES Recovery staff are assigned to conduct initial damage estimates and an assessment of potential next steps regarding IA and PA damage assessments; assisting locals with debris management plans; communicating with voluntary organizations and with the Region and local government.
- One (1) Cal OES Public Information Officer assigned.

### **Activations**

- Co-Located Siskiyou County and City of Weed EOC activated at Level 2.
- Cal OES Inland REOC activated to Level 2 at 0700 hours in support of Inland Region fires.
- Cal OES SOC is activated to Level 2 and staffed with the White IST at 0700 hours.

### **Shelter Operations**

- American Red Cross Shelter - Mount Shasta Armory, 618 Everitt Memorial Hwy, Mount Shasta. Current population – 7.

### **Fire Suppression Water Issue**

- The City of Weed lost one of its drinking water storage tanks and is drawing water from a second tank. Cal OES is working with the Drinking Water Program to assist with finding a solution to this issue. The State Water Quality Control Board, Drinking Water Program (DWP) has reached out to the city. Per DWP, the City of Weed water system has six reservoirs (storage tanks). The one that was damaged by the fire was one of their smallest reservoirs. There are no issues with the drinking water supply. The self-imposed boil water order in the downtown area is lifted. City is concerned with water supply to fight fires in the future. As an interim solution, water tenders are in place throughout the city to provide water for fire suppression.

### **Schools**

- Weed High School and Weed Elementary School opened for normal operations on 09/23/14.
- The elementary school was partially damaged but staff will transfer classes to other parts of school.
- Students will be bussed through the fire zones.

# **RECOVERY ACTIVITIES**

## **Boles Incident Vegetation Fire- City of Weed, Siskiyou County**

### **Situation**

State Responsibility Area (SRA) fire; City of Weed, Siskiyou County

- 516 acres, 100% contained
- Damaged Structures: 5 Single Residences, 2 Non-Residential Commercial Properties and 2 Other Minor Structures
- Destroyed Structures: 157 Single Residences, 10 Non Residential Commercial Properties, 72 Other Minor Structures
- A Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) was approved. FEMA Declaration Number FM-5079.
- A Proclamation from Siskiyou County was received on 09/15/14 requesting Cal OES and the Governor find, concur, and proclaim Siskiyou County to be in a State of Emergency as a result of the Boles Fire.
- Governor Brown declared a State of Emergency in Siskiyou County on 09/17/14.

### **Recovery Activities**

- A Local Assistance Center (LAC) is scheduled to be open through Saturday, September 27, 2014, at the College of the Siskiyou's located at 800 College Avenue, Weed, CA.
- Damage Assessment Teams began working 09/17/14. Cal OES Public Assistance completed its assessment on, 09/20/14.
- Cal OES VAL, Individual Assistance coordinator, and Local Assistance Center (LAC) Liaison returned to the area on 09/22/14 to continue coordination efforts and assist with the set-up of the LAC.
- The Salvation Army is working with the City of Weed to receive and distribute donations.
- Clothing donations are being collected by Hope Community Church, 974 Lassen Street, Mt. Shasta.
- Food donations are being collected by Great Northern/Rotary at 310 Boles Street.
- Red Cross has received an abundance of donated items and is encouraging monetary donations at this time. Information is available on their website at [www.redcross.org](http://www.redcross.org).

### **Open State Agency Missions**

- **2014-IREOC-5786** – American Red Cross shelter consolidation to the National Guard Armory. On scene.
- **2014-IREOC-6030** – Two (2) HAZMAT Technician Specialists arrived in Siskiyou County on 9/22/2014.
- **2014-IREOC-6053** – Two (2) volunteer coordinators supplied by Cal Volunteers. On scene.
- **2014-IREOC-6131** – Cal FIRE Incident Management Team to provide support as an EOC team for Siskiyou County/City of Weed combined EOC. The mission is for seven days; however, the situation will be re-evaluated after five days. Mission request is on-hold. Coordinating.

### **Requests for State Assistance (Excluding Missions)**

- California Volunteers has reported to the area to assist with volunteer coordination.
- The State Water Resources Control Board, Drinking Water Program will assist with drinking water issues.
- The Department of Toxic Substances Control will assist with local hazardous materials issues.



# RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

## Magnitude 6.0 Earthquake, American Canyon, Napa County

### **Situation**

On Sunday, August 24, 2014, at 0320 Hours PST, a magnitude 6.0 earthquake struck five miles northwest of American Canyon, CA.

- The Governor declared a State of Emergency, 08/24/14.
- On September 11, 2014, the President declared a major disaster declaration in Napa and Solano Counties.

### **Recovery Activities**

- Based on a request for additional IA information for the major disaster declaration request, IA teams conducted PDAs 09/8/14 through 09/12/14 in Napa County, the City of Vallejo, and Solano County. IA PDA teams conducted additional PDAs 9/17/14 through 9/19/14 finalizing PDAs in Napa County.
- The City of Napa website has information regarding earthquake recovery resources.
- Cal OES Recovery PA conducted the PA Applicants Briefing to advise state agencies, local governments, and private non-profit organizations impacted by the earthquake the types of assistance available and the programmatic guidelines 09/23/14.
- [The deadline for potential applicants to submit the Request for Public Assistance to be considered for reimbursement for this event is 10-07/14.](#)
- The Napa Long Term Recovery Committee (LTRC) is in the process of forming its leadership, establishing policies and procedures, and identifying a Mission statement. A follow up meeting is pending.
- State Voluntary Agency Liaison (VAL) participated in a Long Term Recovery discussion meeting on Monday, 09/15/14. Participants included several voluntary organizations, state and federal VAL, and leadership from Northern CA and Solano VOAD. A presentation on long term recovery and update on current recovery efforts was provided. Due to the absence of local faith based and other organizations that may have resources, SVOAD will reach out to expand the engagement of additional nonprofit and faith based partners. Once the organizations are identified, a follow up meeting will be held in hopes of identifying key leaders interested in forming a LTR committee.
- American Red Cross Assistance Center: Napa Marriott Hotel opened on 09/01/14 from 1000 to 1900 hours for Napa and Solano County; center will be open for two weeks.
- Local Assistance Center (LAC): County and City of Napa: LAC opened on 09/08/14 at 301 1st Street, Napa (corner of 1st Street and Silverado Trail). The LAC is open until further notice.

### **Mission Tasking**

- **2014-CREOC-6058** – Administrative Support for Solano County. On scene.
- **2014-SOC-5902** – (20) SAP Inspectors to assist the City of Napa. Coordinating.
- **2014-CREOC-5600** – (10) Structural Engineers for City of Vallejo - On Scene.
- **2014-CREOC-5753** – (1) Building inspector/engineer for City of American Canyon - On Scene.
- **2014-CREOC-5758** – (20) SAP inspectors to assist the City of Napa – Qty: 10 On Scene.

# **CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT**

## **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

- The SOC is activated at Level 2 in support of the Drought State of Emergency from 0800-1700 hours daily.
- The Inland REOC is activated at Level 2 from 0800-1700 Monday through Friday or as needed.
- The Southern REOC is activated at Level 1.
- The Santa Barbara County OA EOC is activated at Level 2 to be handled by the duty officer for the purpose of monitoring activities and gaining situational awareness. The operational period is Monday – Friday, 0800-1700 hours.
- The Governor issued an Executive Order on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought. Specifically, through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.

## **New Proclamations**

- None

## **Drought Update Report**

- The Drought Brief will be distributing on a bi-weekly basis. The next brief will be on September 29th.



# CAL OES MISSIONS

## Ongoing Cal OES Missions

- **2014-LAW-6244** On 9/23/14 at 1234 hours, the North Coast Regional Water Quality Board in Humboldt County requested a non emergency use of the Civil Air Patrol to take aerial photos of 5 locations to document damage to terrain and vegetation caused by illegal marijuana farming. The marijuana has already been removed and Law Enforcement investigation ongoing. The photos will be used to document the damage for the Water Board. LDO completed the request form and forwarded the request along with a cover e-mail to the Civil Air Patrol National Operations Center for review and tasking.

## Closed Cal OES Missions

- **2014-LAW-6212** On 9/23/14 at 0908 hours, the Mono County Sheriff's Office requested a helicopter, trailing dogs, and 20 Type I ground personnel to locate a missing 81 year old subject that was reported missing while camping in an area just north of Bridgeport. Tuolumne and Alpine County responded with ground personnel. The Cal OES K9 Coordinator secured two dog teams for the search, and a CHP Helicopter was used. The subject was located about 1600 hours. Subject was located alive, but further details were not provided.



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